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PART I. SIGNIFICANT PHOTO INTERPRETATIONS

B. NEW TARGETS AND SIGNIFICANT CHANGES

ITMØ1:NEW ROAD UNDER CONSTRUCTION SGM:UNK CTY:VN 210400N1044200E

DES:A CLEARING OPERATION EXTENDS FROM ROUTE 155 AT 2104N 10442E

(UTM VJ694306) THROUGH 2 POSSIBLE FUTURE RIVER CROSSINGS AT

UTM VJ694308 AND VJ696310, THROUGH THE VILLAGE OF BAN BANG

FROM WHICH MID/-STAGE OF ROAD GRADING EXTENDS EAST TO UTM

VJ704308, THEN NORTH ON THE WEST SIDE OF AND PARALLEL TO

THE SUOI BANG (STREAM) TO 2106N 10443E (UTM VJ710336).

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ITM 02: ROAD MAINT ACTY ON ROUTE 155 SGM: UNK CTY: VN 210300N1044200E

DES: ROUTE 155 APPEARS TO BE UNDERGOING RESURFACING ON THE

CUMPLE

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SOUTH SIDE OF THE FERRY CROSSING ON THE BLACK RIVER AT 2103N 10442E (UTM VJ700277). RESURFACING MATERIAL IS BEING EXTRACTED FROM THE SE RIVER BANK AND A MATERIAL/PERSONNEL TRAMWAY SPANS THE RIVER ADJACENT TO THE FERRY CROSSING. A PROBABLE SUPPORT FACILITY NEAR THE ROAD AT UTM VJ700275 CONSISTS OF 4 BUILDINGS AND ROW CROPS WITH 2 ADDITIONAL BUILDINGS NEARBY. TWO RAFTS, POSSIBLY LADEN WITH SPOOLS OF CABLE, ARE OBSERVED ON THE NW BANK AT UTM VJ704290.

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ITM 03:PROBABLE ROAD CONSTRUCTION SGM:UNK CTY:VN 210000N1044400E

DES:A CLEARING OPERATION IS INTERMITTENTLY OBSERVED EXTENDING

FROM 2100N 10444E (UTM VJ740237) NORTH FOLLOWING THE LAND

CONTOUR TO 2102N 10444E (UTM VJ736266). ADDITIONAL CLEARING

EXTENDS FROM UTM VJ725276, NW FOLLOWING THE LAND CONTOUR NEAR

THE SOUTH BANK OF THE BLACK RIVER TO UTM VJ715281. NO ASSOCIATED FACILITIES ARE OBSERVED.

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ITM 04:NEW ROAD UNDER CONSTRUCTION SGM:UNK CTY:VN 211200N1042300E

DES:A GRADING OPERATION EXTENDS INTERMITTENTLY FROM 2112N

10423E (UTM VJ375453) NEAR ROUTE 13A, SW ALONG THE LAND CONTOUR

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TO UTM VJ364446. FROM THIS POINT CONTINUOUS GRADING EXTENDS ALONG THE HILLSIDE NE AND GENERALLY PARALLELING THE BLACK RIVER TO 2111N 10423E (UTM VJ375431).

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PART II. OTHER PHOTO INTERPRETATIONS - NONE GP-1

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